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That Gladstonian majority of forty made the Tories drown like sixty.

There are certainly signs that the campaign will soon be opened in earnest.

Farmer Dux's cool spells seem to be chiefly booked for "one-night stands."

The Sick Babies' Fund is now \$10,568. It keeps on climbing with the mercury.

When the Gladstonians turned in for business they very quickly turned the Tories out.

All reports agree that the new crusader Marblehead took it the water as naturally and gracefully as the swan.

You pay your nickel, and the Seventh and Eighth avenue surfaces keep themselves about doing the rest.

Now that a railway gate has been invented which it won't cost a cent to run, it is possible that the railway companies will protect their grade crossings in New Jersey.

It is said that orders for skates for the coming Winter trade are so heavy at present as to surpass all records. Is there a delirious enthusiasm in the contemplation of this fact?

European respect for the American Navy is keeping pace with that navy's own remarkable development. And it is such respect that sometimes serves admirably as a preserver of peaceful relations.

Seven German soldiers at a swimming-school were ordered into water beyond their depth. Not a man of them could swim, but they obeyed unquestioningly, and all were drowned. This is one of those that kills.

It is calculated that no other country in the world could demand for tasks been met not as speedily and unanimously by an assembled crowd as at South Beach on Tuesday, when a snake-charmer was bitten by a cobra.

The screws are once more turned on Philadelphia in consequence of the breaking deal. Coal is now going up only cents a ton, with twenty-five cents additional for putting it in the cellar. Are the dear Quakers still resolute to do this?

Williamsburg dog-catchers seem to labor under the illusion that they can inflict no wrong on the public. They need a stern lesson, and the latest incident in which some of them are involved affords a good opportunity to administer it.

There is no student of Deliberation methods, however cultured, who cannot get points on the physical expression of grievous surprise from the professional ball-player who jumps six feet to dodge the incoming sphere and then hears the shrill remark: "Strike two."

Ten Chicago policemen were standing outside the station-house door when they worked as an unknown church-building. Some unscrupulous lad cut the supporting rope. It was a base and purposeless crime. Its perpetrator is more than ordinarily deserving of being found out, with all that is therein implied.

OLIVER TEPENNIN seemed mild enough when he returned to Port Lyaen, and nobody took the trouble to get him returned to the insane asylum whence he had escaped. But all at once his madness took a violent turn, and his family barely escaped death at his hands. This is not alone case. Some day all communities will understand how much confidence to put in the seeming harmlessness of a demented patient.

An arrest has finally been made in the Fall River case. It cannot be said, from

what circumstances have been made public, that the evidence against the prisoner is so utterly conclusive as to produce the immediate judgment that the mystery is solved. The police have now strenuously avoided the grave error of devoting themselves so utterly and simply to the work of justifying the arrest; they have made that other possible clue may be lost to sight.

EXIT DALISBURY.

The British Ministers are overheard. To us an American expression they are "in the soup." The motion of a saint of confidence in the Government was carried in the House of Commons last night by a vote of 350 to 30, a majority of 30 for Mr. Gladstone and his friends.

This marks the downfall of the Salisbury administration, and diagnosis of the foolish Tory least that the opposition would not hold together to beat the Minister, unless Mr. Gladstone first proclaimed the details of his Home Rule measure and pledged himself that it should be the first movement of the new Government. It would have been more graceful, such foolish topics had been abandoned, and if Salisbury and Balfour had at once retired, instead of emphasizing the fact of their overthrow by waiting to be kicked out.

The next movement will be the resignation of the Ministers, and the Queen's message to Mr. Gladstone requesting his attendance to receive authority to form a new Cabinet. It is rumored that the Queen may try some intermediate course by commanding some prominent Liberal to make the attempt to patch up a Ministry. But this is probably untried, although it is well known that the old lady will find it very distasteful to summon Mr. Gladstone, and that she will look upon her changes forced upon her with much disfavor.

The majority of forty is not very promising for the new minority, and the Tory opposition will be exceedingly bitter, as the debate yesterday foreshadowed. One Conservative member declared that the Irish Home Rule party "wanted to wash in Protestant blood," while another predicted that the Home of Louis would never pass a measure sent to it "by a miserable minority of forty thousand." But these interminable attacks will only make the Irish party more likely to adhere to Mr. Gladstone, and it is probable that his majority of 30 will increase after he has taken control of the reins of government.

THE HORSES' TAPE.

Mr. CANNAN will not attend the dinner of the Old Colony Fishing Club, to which he was invited several weeks ago, and it is said that the banquet has been postponed.

Mr. CANNAN's double purpose in declining the invitation. He doubtless would have had a good time and would have made congenial companions. The club stories after the removal of the cloth would probably have been interesting, and it is evident that number of them who supported the combination candidate for Governor declared their intention to vote for the Democratic electoral ticket in November.

The cry of "fraud" was raised as soon as the election was over, and was announced that in consequence of gross violations of the laws the combination candidate would contest the election. What does this mean? If it is not designed to make an opening for the interference of the Federal authorities in the State election? Is not this the underlying principle for which the Republican leaders contend? Are they not anxious to bring all State elections practically within the control of the Federal authorities?

about it?" That is the substance of Treasurer PHILIPS's explanation.

Well, this is a good time to make some inquiry into the Book Department. Its methods, its management and its powers, it is the least and most dangerous department in the city government, expending a very large amount of money every year, irresponsible, held out of the city annual expenditures, and independent, or claiming to be independent, of the Board of Estimate and Apprivalment.

It will not be forgotten that the Commissioners of Accounts, of whom the present President of the Tax Department was then a member, made a report some time ago in relation to the Book Department which never saw the light of day so far as the people are concerned. President of Congress has repeatedly admitted that the report was a most damaging one. It was suppressed. Why should not this report be published now? Who holds possession of it and controls it? Its conclusions might let some light into the powers and acts of the Book Commissioners and show whether they have the right to destroy the beauty and attractions of a public park, in order to accommodate private steamboat companies.

THE ALABAMA DEBATE.

The decision in Alabama resulted in a tremendous victory. The Government triumph over the new party's candidate was between eleven and twelve thousand.

The Democratic vote was of course greatly reduced. But the defeat of the combination movement was complete, and it is significant that number of those who supported the combination candidate for Governor declared their intention to vote for the Democratic electoral ticket in November.

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We might little girls enjoy the cost of sending them to a finishing school, or the cost of posturing lessons, or we give an entertainment just now in the parlor or the boudoir. How are readers to know what we do to you? We do not tell you.

—Tutor MARY.

—Dinner VICTORIA.

—Lunch VICTORIA.

—Tea VICTORIA.

—Dinner VICTORIA.